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THE Pennſylvania GAZETTE.

Containing the freſheſt Advices Foreign and Domeſtick.

From Thurſday, May 27. to Thurſday, June 3. 1731.

HAMBURG, Feb. 12. *N. S.*

WE ſee here a Letter from Capt. *Peter Sunck*, dated at *Malaga* the 9th of *Jan.* which adviſes, that he arrived there the 6th, after having been beating about the Mouth of the *Streights* for 9 Days in bad Weather; that he was met by an *Algerine* Corſair of 30 Guns, but outſailed her; that on the 3d he ſaw in the *Streights*, near Cape *Caberit*, two ſtout Ships, and another by the Mount of *Gibraltar*, that was juſt come out of the Bay, which he took to be *Dutch* Men of War; but when he came to *Malaga*, he was aſſured they were 3 *Algerines*. namely, one of 50 Guns, another of 44, and the 3d of 40, which were carried in thither by two *Engliſh* Men of War, and put under an Embargo for plundering of an *Engliſh* Ship laden with Proviſions from *Ireland*, for which when they had made full Satisfaction, they were permitted to depart. This laſt News has put us in pain for the Ship of *Michael Wahn*, and others bound to *Cadiz* and *Lisbon*. Since Saturday laſt, the Froſt here has been as ſevere as any time this Winter; ſo that abundance of Sledges go over the *Elbe* upon the Ice every Day, with all ſorts of Goods to *Harburgh* and other Places up the Water.

Lisbon, March 3. *N. S.* Capt. *Price* of *Pool* is arrived here with 600 Barrels of Rice from *South-Carolina*: He left there loading another for this Port, and 5 for *Oporto*. His Cargo proved exceeding good, and ſold for 3 M. 500 Rees *per* 128 l. and if the like Care be taken of that Commodity, and it can be imported from thence a little earlier, no other Rice can interfere with it.

Berlin, March 13. Her Czariſh Majeſty has at preſent ſent to the King of *Pruſſia* 70 tall Men to be incorporated into his Regiment of Gygantick Grenadiers at *Potſdam*.

Vienna, March 14. On the 12th while the Emperor's Miniſters were in Conference together at Prince *Eugene*'s of *Savoy*'s, there arrived three Expreſſes, the firſt from *Spain*, the ſecond from *England*, and the third from the North, charged with important Diſpatches. Men talk variouſly of thoſe brought by the Courier from *Spain*.

Extract of a private Letter from Paris.

The King applies himſelf with great Aſſiduity to the Affairs of the Government, and has a very good Notion of them: The Cardinal Miniſter ſpends two Hours with his Majeſty every Day, to make him Maſter of every Thing ſtep by ſtep. The Princes of the Blood are very quiet, and do not concern themſelves with any State-Affairs, excepting that the D. of *Orleans* ſeldom miſſes the Council, and gives his Opinion there with great Applauſe. The Duke *du Maine*, is more particularly in the Confidence of the King and the Cardinal. The Queen never concerns herſelf with the Affairs of the Government, but takes Care of her Children who are in perfect Health.

Dreſden, March 20. On Saturday his *Poliſh* Majeſty arrived here from *Warſaw* in good Health, and is next Week to go to *Bergen*, to give Directions for the Building him a new Palace, where he means to reſide in the Summer Seaſon when in his Electorate. Letters from *Leghorn* import, that ſeveral Imperial Regiments were marched for *Lunegiane*, and that the Emperor had promiſed the Dutcheſs Dowager of *Parma* his Protection from all Attacks.

Paris, March 21. *N. S.* Letters from *Lisbon* of the 19th paſt, import, that there fell ſo great a Quantity of Snow in the Province of *Alentejo*, and that Neighbourhood, the begining of the ſaid Month, that in ſome Places it was above ſix Foot deep, which was never known before; and that it was followed by ſome heavy Rains, that the Rivers had overflow'd their Banks and done ineſtimable Damage to the Country: That the *Tagus*, into which all thoſe Rivers empty themſelves, was ſo ſwell'd thereby, that the Water got into moſt of the Warehouſes of that City, and ſpoiled or damaged a prodigious Quantity of Goods; particularly 4500 Cheſts of Sugar, and the greateſt part of their Snuff: And that they had at the ſame time ſuch violent Storms, that many Ships were caſt away both in the River and upon the Coaſt.

. *Edinburg*, *March* 8. On Friday a Party of Colonel *Handyſide*'s Regiment, and of my Lord *Lovat*'s Highland Company, brought into this Town ſix ſturdy Highland Men, who were taken by Lord *Lovat*'s Company, for Robbery and Theft, and are put in cloſe Priſon till tried by the Law for their Crimes.

Laſt Saturday the Right Hon. the Earl of *Strathmore* was married to Miſs *Oliphant*, Daughter to Dr. *Oliphant*.

DUBLIN,

March 9. The Papiſts in this City are of late grown ſo inſolent, that if ſome extraordinary Meaſures are not taken to put a Stop to their Career, it is to be feared, they will greatly annoy his Majeſty's loyal Subjects: No later than Sunday laſt, we had two convincing Specimens of what they would be at: The Mob, which is for the moſt part made up of Papiſts, inſulted the Gentlemen of our Univerſity at their coming out of the College, and mobb'd them thro' every Street to St. Patrick's Church; when they came there, they, to ſhew how little they reſpected the ſolemn Duties of of the Day, inſtead of joining Prayers with the Congregation, unanimouſly agreed to pour into the Church, Vollies of Imprecations and Pebble Stones: There were a great many of the Gentlemen wounded; and we hear, that the Provoſt, endeavouring to appeaſe the outrageous Fury of the Mob, was likewiſe very much hurt; in ſhort, if it had not been that a Detachment of the Standing Army, from the main Guard, came in a ſeaſonable time, to defend thoſe Gentlemen from the Raſcally Uſage of thoſe Reprobates, there would in all probability, have been a great deal of Bloodſhed.

The ſame Day, another Body of the like diſaffected People, aſſembled at *Oxmantown-Green*, as they uſually do on Sabbath Days, inſulted and abuſed ſeveral of the Soldiers in our Barracks; and if thoſe Gentlemen had not thought it more prudent to withdraw than expoſe themſelves, we ſhould certainly have had a miſerable Scene of Death and Confuſion. We will not pretend to ſay, that theſe were Plots concerted to noſe the Government, but it looks a little like diſreſpect and Sabbath-breaking.

March 16. On Sunday laſt, the Scholars of the Univerſity fearing to be inſulted, as they were the Week before, paſſing to St. *Patrick's* Church by the Mob, reſolved not to be unprovided in caſe of Danger; accordingly they moſt got Swords and Piſtols, which they wore under their Gowns, all but about 50 or 60 of the principal Gentlemen who marſhalling themſelves under the Command of Mr. *Hancock*, marched in a ſeparate Body from the reſt with Swords by their Sides, and Piſtols ſtuck publickly in their Belts, 'till they came to St. *Patrick*'s Cloſe, where they drew up in Ranks 'till their fellow Students were ſettled in Church, and then ſeeing no Appearance of Inſult they marched in after them; and when Service was over returned in the ſame Order to the College, where they once more drew up, and fired a Volley of Shot in a regular diſciplin'd Manner, and then retired quietly into their Chambers, to the great Satisfaction of the Citizens, who reckon'd them a very agreeable and entertaining Sight. However, as ſome little Apprehenſion continu'd, that they might be inſulted if they were met in Town ſingly, they did not quit carrying their Weapons when out, eſpecially thoſe who are lodged abroad, which had likely to have produced very fatal Effects; for a few of them being out laſt Night, diverting themſelves after the Play, they were affronted by ſome Fellows who it ſeems belonged to St. *Michael*'s Watch; who ſeeing but two or three at firſt, furiouſly fell on them, which in a Minute or two bred ſuch a Fray, and Succours coming on both Sides that there has not been ſo deſperate a Fight here for many Years, the Watchmen uſing their Bills and Halberts, and the Gentlemen their Swords, Piſtols and Bludgings; ſeveral Shot were fired, and many Cuts and Wounds given on both Sides, till in the End the Scholars were over-power'd, the Watchmen coming from the adjacent Houſes, and five of them were ſurrounded and taken, and immediately, in a very indignant Manner, carried by their Conquerors to *Newgate*; but Word ſoon flying to the College, the Students all ſwarmed together, and ſtrove to get out to revenge the Abuſe, and deliver the Priſoners; but by the Care and Inrreaty of the Dean, Dr. *Grafton*, they were reſtrained 'till they could acquaint the Lord Mayor with the Affair, which they did with the utmoſt Speed; and his Lordſhip immediately went with his Guard, and relieved the young Gentlemen, and quieted the Uproar in a few Hours. We are told, one *Joſeph Carrol*, a Watchman, and one of thoſe hurt, died of his Wounds; and that Mr. *Fitzgerald*, and divers of the Scholars, are ſo deſperately mangled, that it is feared they cannot recover. Mean time the Roman Catholick Clergy have read Declarations in their Chapels againſt Riots, and threaten to excommunicate all Perſons of their Religion, who ſhall preſume to diſturb the publick Tranquility.

LONDON,

Febr. 27. Laſt Week died the ſecond Son of the Right Hon. the Lord *Paiſly*, at the Seat of Mr. *Plummer* in *Hertfordſhire*. We hear that his Death was occaſioned by a Miſtake that was made by the Nurſe who ſat up with him, who was ordered to give him a Draught, as preſcribed by his Phyſicians, with three Drops of Laudanum; inſtead of which ſhe gave him the Laudanum, and the Drops from the other Bottle; ſoon after which all the Symptoms of Death came upon him, and he expired within three Hours. He was a young Gentleman of a fine promiſing Genius, and died greatly lamented.

March 16. *Charles Ray*, now a Priſoner in *Newgate*, who was to have been tranſported into his Majeſty's Plantations in *America*, but was detained on Account of an Experiment being

being to be try'd on the Drum of his Ear, (which is to be taken out) in order to find out the Cauſe and Cure of Deafneſs, was on Saturday laſt aſſured, that the ſaid Experiment ſhould be tried on him in a few Days, after which he ſhould have a free Pardon.

We hear that at the laſt Meeting of the Royal Society, was read a very curious Letter to *Martin Folks*, Eſq; in Defence of Mr. *Cheſelden*'s intended Operation on the Drum of the Ear of a condemned Malefactor, which we hear will be printed. In the mean time the following Extract of that Diſcourſe, we hope, will be acceptable to the Publick.

The Author firſt obſerves, this Skin, commonly called the Drum of the Ear, is not the Organ of Hearing, as is vulgarly thought; for the Proof of which he offers a great Number of Reaſons and Obſervations of his own, as well as the Opinions and Reaſons of the moſt learned and judicious Anatomiſts. He then obſerves, there are two Paſſages to the Organs of Hearing; one by the outward Ear, the other thro' the back Part of the Mouth, thro' which ſome People can hear, who cannot hear through the outward Ear. In this caſe he ſuppoſes the Sound may be interrupted by the Drum of the Ear, which is ſeated in this Paſſage, and being diſeaſed, may hinder Sounds from paſſing to the internal Parts, where are ſeated the proper Organs of Hearing: In this Caſe only, he ſuppoſes that perforating the Drum may prove a Remedy for Deafneſs, as depreſſing the cryſtaline Humour of the Eye (vulgarly called Couching a Cataract) is daily found to be a Remedy for Blindneſs; and yet that Operation has been as indecently and ignorantly ridiculed, as this Experiment of Mr. *Cheſelden*'s; one Writer againſt that Operation not ſcrupuling to give his Book the following Title, *A new Method of recovering the Sight, by putting out the Eye.* He alſo obſerves, that the Situation of the Drum is ſuch, that the Operation may be eaſily made by a skilful Perſon; and it being a very thin Skin, he preſumes it will not be very painful; and if ſo, the Perſon who is to undergo the Experiment will purchaſe his Life upon very eaſy Terms: But ſuppoſing it ſhould be very painful, (which it is hoped it will not be) on whom can the Experiment be ſo fitly made, for the Service of Mankind, as on one whoſe Life is already forfeited to the Publick.

March 25. About four in the Afternon Meſſieurs *Richard* and *Thomas Woodward*, Bankers in *Exchange Alley*, ſtopp'd Payment: Their Credit was exceeding great, and the Confuſion occaſioned hereby is inexpreſſible; but 'tis believed that on the Delivery of the laſt Flota's Treaſure they'll be enabled to make good all their Engagements, they having lent great Sums of Money to Perſons intereſted in the aforeſaid Treaſure.

The ſame Day his Majeſty went to the Houſe of Peers in the uſual State and Solemnity, attended in his Coach by the Earl of *Scarborough* and the Lord *William Manners*, Lord of the Bed-Chamber in waiting, and gave the Royal Aſſent to the Mutiny Bill, and ſeveral private Bills.

March 27. Laſt Week a Gentlewoman living in *Bartholomew Cloſe*, who was going to *Eſſex*, ſent her Footman with a Portmanteau to be ſent by the *Chelmsford* Stage Coach, deſigning to ſet out the next Day in her own Chariot: The Fellow miſtook the Inn to which he was directed; and went to the *Croſs Keys* in *Grace-Church-ſtreet*, and asked for *Tyrrel*, the Coachman; a Sharper that was looking out for Prey, readily anſwered, he is not here, but I'll ſhew you where he is; and ſo carried him to a little Court at ſome Diſtance, and knocking at a Man's Door, asked if Mr. *Tyrrel* was there: They told him they knew no ſuch Man; whereupon he bid the Footman go to the Ship not far diſtant, and ask for Mr. *Jones*, ſaying he will do the Buſineſs as well; the Fellow was ſo ſilly as to go: But before he came back, the Sharper was gone off with the Portmanteau, in which were a Pearl Necklace, Plate and divers Goods, to the Value of about 100 l.

We have had nothing for ſeveral Days paſt of the Incendiaries, either in Town or Country, only that one of them is committed to *Durham* Goal, which makes the Number to be upwards of 60; and it is ſaid there is ſufficient Proof againſt many of their being guilty.

Vienna, *March* 21. The Treaty between the Emperor and the King of *Great Britain* was ſigned at Prince *Eugene*'s Palace the 16th Inſtant, in which it is ſtipulated, that the other Powers are to be invited to accede thereto, and to have ſix Months time allowed for ſuch Acceſſion.

Cuſtom-Houſe, New-York, May 31. *Inward Entries.*
Smith from Barbadoes, Barns and Hunt from Boſton and Rhode-Iſland, Ball from Lisbon. *Entred out*, Burrows for Bermuda, Paynter for Delawar, Croſs for North-Carolina, Stiles and Rarſey for Jamaica, Barns for Boſton. *Cleared* Smith to St. Kitts, Paynter to Lewes on Delawar, Croſs to North-Carolina, Smith to Antigua, Phœnix to Jamaica.

Philadelphia. From Boſton we hear, that Capt. Waterhouſe of Piſcataqua, and his Son, are both drowned by the overſetting of a Boat; that S. Brown, Eſq; of Salem, one of the Council, is dead. And from Rhodeiſland, that a great Rain has carried away Mr. Cundel's large Fulling-Mill.

Cuſtom-Houſe, Philadelphia, Entred inwards.
Brigt. Dolphin, William Hill, from Antigua.
Sloop Maryland, Edward Sunderland, from Boſton.

Entred outwards.
Scooner Speedwell, Thomas Mile, for North Carolina.
Sloop Tryal, Stafford Sumerſal, for St. Chriſtophers.
------ Hope, John Howel, for North Carolina.
----- Maryland, Edward Sunderland, for Newfoundland.

Cleared out,
Sloop Dorcas, Meredith Hughes, for Barbadoes.
Ship Debby Gally, Thomas Lloyd, for Jamaica.
Brigt. William, Robert Rea, for Barbadoes.
Sloop Eagle, Thomas Ball, for Jamaica.
Brigt. Swallow, John Plasket, to *Ditto.*
Ship Champion Gally, Robert Coole, for Barbadoes.
Scooner Speedwell, Thomas Mile, for North Carolina.
Brigt. Unity, Samuel Farra, to Newfoundland.
Ship Dragon, Charles Hargrave, to Barbadoes.
Sloop Chance, Fran. Sewers, to Newfoundland.
Ship New-Briſtol Hope, Thomas Chalkly, to Barbadoes.
Sloop Hope, John Howel, to North-Carolina.
----- Heſter and Jane, Robert Traile, to *Ditto.*

Prices of the following Goods, Wheat 2 s. 2 d. Flour 7 s. 9 d. Midling Bread 11 s. Mixt ditto 10 s. Brown ditto 9 s. Rum 2 s. 4 d. Mellaſſes 16 d.

Buried in the ſeveral Burying-Grounds of this City in a Week paſt.

Church - - - - -	4.	Baptiſts - - - - - - - - - -	0.
Quakers - - - -	0.	Strangers Whites - - -	2.
Presbyterians - -	1.	Strangers Blacks - - -	1.

GOOD RHENISH WINE, and Good VINEGAR, Sold by *David Evans* at the Crown near the Market.

Juſt Publiſh'd,

THE VOTES of the Houſe of Repreſentatives of this Province at their laſt Seſſion. Containing, the CHARGE brought by the Managers againſt Mr. *Fiſhbourn* late Truſtee of the General Loan-Office, with his Anſwer and Defence at large, and the Proceedings of the Houſe thereupon: The Petition of the Wardens and Veſtry of Chriſt-Church, in which they lay Claim to the Baptiſt Meeting-houſe in Philadelphia; with the Remonſtrance of the Baptiſts in Anſwer thereunto at large: The Proceedings relating to the Brewing-Bill, and ſeveral other very curious Things. Sold by *B. Franklin*, Price 2 *s.* 6 *d.*

RUN away on the 5th of *May* from *Samuel Eves* near *New-Caſtle*, Sadler, a Servant Man named *Benjamin Berry*, of middle ſize but ſlender, freſh fair Complexion, ſpeaks good Engliſh but a little drawing; grey Eyes, ſharp Noſe a little dropping, his hair brown about an inch long. Has with him an old Beaver Hat, a brown great Coat torn up the back, with ſome Holes and a double Cape; homeſpun Shirt, ozenbrigs Trowſers, white ſtockings, good ſhoes without buckles. Alſo a Duroy Coat of a dirty grey colour, about half-worn, made very plain, much too ſhort for him, which he ſtole ſince he went away. He is wont to change his Name to *George Grub* or *John Hart*, can write a good Hand, and perhaps has made a counterfeit Paſs. 'Tis thought he is gone toward *Durham Iron Works* or *Sopus*. *Whoever ſecures the ſaid Servant, ſo that his Maſter may have him again, ſhall have* Forty Shillings *Reward, and reaſonable Charges paid by* Samuel Eves.

RUN away on the 10th paſt, from *John Comely* of the Mannor of *Moreland*, a Servant Man, named *William Green*, aged about 20, of middle Stature, pale Complection, long Viſage, large Noſe, and dirty light brown Hair. Had a new aſh-colour Kerſey Jacket, a Coat of near the ſame Colour, with Horn Buttons; Leather Breeches, blue-grey and other Stockings, homeſpun Shirts and old Shoes. Whoever ſecures the ſaid Servant ſo that his Maſter may have him again, ſhall have 25 s. Reward, and reaſonable Charges paid, by *John Comely.*

RUN away from *David Potts*, at *Socken* above the Great Swamp, a Servant Boy named *John Williams*, about ſeventeen Years of Age, of ſwarthy Complexion, has black Hair, and two Molds on his Forehead. Had on a brown linſey-wolſey Jacket, Leather Breeches, a pair of Shoepacks, and Stockings footed with White. He is ſuppos'd to have with him a big Bay Horſe, with a ſwitch Tail, and a Star in the Forehead, a half-crop and a half-penny in one Ear, and branded on the near Shoulder IP with a Dagger over it. He went away on the 17th Inſtant. Whoever ſecures him, and gives Notice to *George Shoemaker*, Innkeeper in *Philadelphia*, ſo that his Maſter may have him again, ſhall have *Forty Shillings* Reward, and reaſonable Charges paid, by *David Potts.*

ALL Perſons indebted to *Lees & Pearſon*, late of *Philadelphia*, are hereby deſired to pay in their reſpective Debts without Delay; otherwiſe muſt unavoidably be ſued by their Order to *Willing & Shippen*, *Peter Evans.*

May 29. 1731.

MATTHEW EWER, at his Store on *Cheſnut-Street* Wharff, ſells Rum, Melaſſes, Sugar, Cotton, Limejuice, and ſundry Sorts of Dry Goods at reaſonable Rates.

NOTICE is hereby given to all Perſons indebted to the Eſtate of *John Roberts*, late of *Philadelphia*, deceaſed; That nothing leſs than ſpeedy Payments of Debts, will prevent their being forthwith ſued by the Executors *John White. John Cadwalader.*

May 27. 1731.

ALL Perſons indebted to *Thomas Willing*, late of this City, Merchant, are deſired immediately to ſettle their Accounts, and pay the Ballance to his Attorneys, *Willing* and *Shippen*, at their Store on *Carpenter's* Wharff. *Philadelphia*, *May* 4. 1731.

RUN away on the 16th of *May* from *John Orr*, near *Skuylkill*, *Philadelphia*, a Servant Man named *James Mitchel*, of middle ſtature, brown hair, ſmooth faced, about 28 years of Age; his right Arm marked with 2 Fiſhes, the Letters I. M. and the Date of the Year, in blue; by Trade a Cooper; has been a Traveller, and can talk *Dutch*, *Spaniſh* and *Iriſh*. Has with him a brown Ratteen Jacket, ozenbrigs Shirt and Breeches, black Stockins, and 3 pair of Stockins beſide of three different colours; brown Breeches patch'd on the Knees. Whoever ſecures the ſaid Servant ſo that his Maſter may have him again, ſhall have *Five Pounds* Reward, and reaſonable Charges paid by *John Orr.*

WHEREAS a Bill was paſs'd in a Seſſion of General Aſſembly held at *New-Caſtle*, for the Counties of *New-Caſtle*, *Kent*, and *Suſſex* upon *Delaware*, in the Year 1723, intituled, *An Act for the Emiſſion of* 6000 l. *in Bills of Credit*, which will expire on the 2d of *November* next: Theſe are to deſire all Perſons who are poſſeſſed of any of the ſaid Bills, that they will take care to pay in the ſame during the Terms abovementioned, either at the reſpective Loan-Offices for the ſaid Counties (where they will be exchanged for Bills of new Currency) or otherwiſe, at their Diſcretion, within the ſaid Counties, that the ſame may be deſtroy'd in due time, according to the Tenor of the Acts aforeſaid. *Publiſhed by Order of the Aſſembly for the ſaid Counties, by* H. BROOKE, *Speaker.*

PETER BAYNTON at the lower End of *Front-ſtreet*, ſells all Sorts of Loaf Sugar, as *London* double, *New-England* double and middling, &c. cheaper than at any Time heretofore; and will allow ſix Months or more Credit, to any ſubſtantial Purchaſer. The ſaid *Baynton* has Train Oyle to ſell, and ſundry *European* and *Weſt-India* Goods.

Juſt Publiſhed,

THE LAWS enacted the laſt Seſſion of Aſſembly. Containing the Amendment of the Debtors Act, the Act againſt Hunting Deer out of Seaſon, and ſeveral other new Laws. Printed and ſold at the New Printing-Office near the Market. Price 2 s.

VERY good Live-Geeſe Feathers, to be ſold at *Evan Powell's* in *Cheſnut-ſtreet*, next Door but one to *A. Hamilton*, Eſq;

JOB RAWLINSON,

REMOVED from his STORE on *Fiſhbourn's* Wharff to his *New-open'd-Store* next to *Dickenſon's* burnt Houſes in *Water-ſtreet*; Giveth hereby Intelligence, that he hath a fine freſh Choice there, of moſt kinds of Merchandize, which he will ſell at very inviting cheap Rates for Ready Money; or likewiſe to all punctual Perſons that pay for the ſame any time in *September*, or the Beginning of *October* next, being in order to make a clear Store, he intending then without fail to leave this Country: This therefore is to give timely Notice.

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